

“50 Years of Nation Building” National Photography Competition

Organised by	:	MCA 50th Merdeka Anniversary Celebration Committee
Co-organised by	:	Hanxing Academy of Journalism & Communication Professional Photography, The Federation of Commercial Photographic Society Malaysia, Persatuan Fotografi Selangor Dan Kuala Lumpur, Soka Gakkai
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Competition Theme: 50 Years of Nation Building

Objective:

- 1) To capture the glimpses of 50 years of nationhood and to instill the concept of national unity.
- 2) To cherish the peace, success & prosperity achieved by the nation and to forge ahead with greater courage and commitment.
- 3) Through photography, promote the spirit of Rakyat Malaysia.

Subject:

- 1) National Unity - facilitates the understanding and co-operation among races, and inculcates nationalism in the public in order to create a bright future.
- 2) History Heritage - imprint the history path of the country through photos.
- 3) Multi-cultural – the multi-cultural practices in multi-racial Malaysia.
- 4) Environmental Community - country development movement within fifty years.
- 5) New Village Development – new village development and growth within fifty years.

Rules and Regulations:

- 1) This competition is open for all Malaysians only.
- 2) All entries must suit the theme “50 Years of Nation Building” and at least one of the subjects stated above. Each entry must be personally shot by the participant.
- 3) There is no limit on the numbers of entries. Every photo must be colour photo at the measurement of 8R (8” x 10” or 8” x 12”). 8R photo printed on Canon Inkjet paper is also accepted.
- 4) Each photo should be accompanied by a fully completed entry form (photocopy of entry form is acceptable); and please paste the entry form at the back of the photo. The photo must be submitted without any frame decoration.
- 5) Every participant must submit the 8R photo along with the negative. If the photo is shot using digital camera, then the 8R photo and the CD (containing that particular photo, which is at least 300 dpi) must be submitted together.
- 6) Proof of postage is not proof of receipt. No correspondence will be entertained for any damages or loss.
- 7) Winning works in any photo contests should not be submitted to this competition.
- 8) All entries (photo, negative, CD) are non-returnable, and they shall become and remain the property of the organiser who reserves the rights to reproduce, publish, or exhibit the materials for the promotional

purposes without notification or payment to participants. The organiser shall not be held responsible for any legal action against the photographs.

- 9) The participant is deemed the copyright owner of the photo. The organiser shall not be held responsible for any copyright issue of the photo.
- 10) Once the photo is published or exhibited, the organiser shall not be held responsible for any claim or complaint from anybody who was filmed in the photo without permission. Participant shall be held responsible for this issue.
- 11) The organiser will handle all the photos with caution. However, if there is any inevitable damages on the photos, the organiser shall not be held responsible.
- 12) Each entry with completed entry form must be sent to **“10th Floor, Wisma MCA, 163, Jalan Ampang, 50450 Kuala Lumpur”**. Please note down **“To: 50 Years of Nation Building National Photography Competition”** on the envelope. Participants are also welcome to submit entry forms personally.
- 13) Participants can download the entry form from the following website:
www.mca.org.my
- 14) By participating in this competition, participants agree to be bound by the rules and regulations.
- 15) Organiser reserves the rights at the absolute discretion to vary or add to any of the rules or regulations from time to time without prior notice.
- 16) Each participant is entitled to one award only but the prizes below 2nd Runner up are not bound by this rule.
- 17) All winners will be announced in Malaysian dailies and notified by post.
- 18) All the decisions made by the panel of judges are final and no further enquiries will be entertained.
- 19) If there is any enquiry, please call MCA Publicity Bureau for further clarification. (Tel: 03-21618044 ext 428; F: 03- 21613051).

Competition time frame:

The intake of entries will start after 1st May 2007.

The closing date is at 5pm, 29th June 2007.

Prizes:

<p>Grand Award:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - RM 3000 - 1 unit Canon EOS 400D (Kit) - 1 KING’S PHOTO Sinalite SL200A Set - 1 unit PenDrive Multimedia Viewer M20 - 1 unit NKKT Soft Jacket - Certificate 	<p>Excellence Award x10:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - RM 200 - 1 unit Canon Compact Photo Printer CP 720 - 1 unit PenDrive SD 4GB Card - 1 unit NKKT Soft Jacket - Certificate
<p>1st Runner up:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - RM 2000 - 1 unit Canon PowerShot G7 - 1 KING’S PHOTO Sinalite Outdoor Light 400Ws Set - 1 unit PenDrive Multimedia Viewer 20GB - 1 unit NKKT Soft Jacket - Certificate 	<p>Merit Award x10:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - RM 100 - 1 piece Canon EOS Miniature Premium - 1 unit PenDrive SD 2GB Card - Certificate
<p>2nd Runner up:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - RM 1000 - 1 unit Canon PowerShot A630 - 1 KING’S PHOTO Sinalite Minilite Kit - 1 unit PenDrive X’s Drive 80GB - 1 unit NKKT Soft Jacket - Certificate 	<p>Finalist x 30:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1 piece Canon tee-shirt - 1 PenDrive SD 1GB Card - Certificate

